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Appl. No.: 09/066,255
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ Reply Brief (in triplicate);
- ☒ Request for Oral Hearing; and
- ☒ A Check in the Amount of \$300.00.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872 (Order No. 071949-2406). Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872 (Order No. 071949-2406).

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Respectfully submitted,

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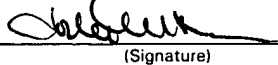
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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.194(b), applicant respectfully requests an oral hearing before the Board. This request is accompanied by the requisite fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(d). If this fee is incorrect or if any additional fees are due in this regard, please charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 50-0872 (Order No. 071949-2406) for the appropriate amount.

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